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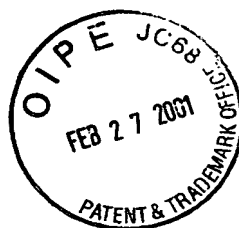
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In re application of: Moore et al.

Application Serial No.: 09/263,626

Filed: March 5, 1999

For: **Cytokine Receptor Common
Gamma Chain Like**



Art Unit: 1646

Examiner: Brannock, M.

Attorney Docket No.: PF466

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO PAPER NO. 11

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2000, (Paper No. 11), Applicants hereby request that the following amendments and remarks be entered into the above-identified application. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) a Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months, up to and including February 28, 2001; (b) a Fee Transmittal; and (c) the Declaration of Paul A. Moore Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 with Exhibits A-D. Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

Please amend the following claim:

C1
31. (Once Amended) A host cell comprising the isolated polynucleotide of claim 25 operably associated with a heterologous regulatory sequence.

C2
37. (Once Amended) An isolated polynucleotide comprising a nucleic acid selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide comprising amino acid residues m[-] to 371 of SEQ ID NO:2, where m is an integer in the range of +2 to +370;

(b) a nucleic acid encoding a polypeptide comprising amino acid residues 1[-] to n of SEQ ID NO:2, where n is an integer in the range of +2 to +371; and

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